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Application Number	10/088,644
Filing Date	March 20, 2002
Inventor(s)	Claus HILLERMEIER et al.
Group Art Unit	2123
Examiner Name	R. L. Guill
Attorney Docket Number	32860-000282/US

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)☐ Fee Transmittal Form☐ Fee Attached☒ Amendment☐ After Final☐ Affidavits/declaration(s)☐ Extension of Time Request☐ Express Abandonment Request☐ Information Disclosure Statement☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)☐ Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application☐ Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53☐ Assignment Papers (for an Application)☐ Letter to the Official Draftsperson and _____ Sheets of Formal Drawing(s)☐ Licensing-related Papers☐ Petition☐ Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application☐ Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address☐ Terminal Disclaimer☐ Request for Refund☐ CD, Number of CD(s) _____☐ After Allowance Communication to Group☐ LETTER SUBMITTING APPEAL BRIEF AND APPEAL BRIEF (w/clean version of pending claims)☐ Appeal Communication to Group (Notice of Appeal, Brief, Reply Brief)☐ Proprietary Information☐ Status Letter☐ Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):

Remarks

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Date

March 7, 2006



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APPLICANTS: Claus HILLERMEIER et al. CONF. NO.: 7432
SERIAL NO.: 10/088,644 GROUP: 2123
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FOR: METHOD, ARRANGEMENT AND A PRODUCT OF A
COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR SIMULATING A TECHNICAL
SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

Customer Service Window
Randolph Building
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
Mail Stop AMENDMENT

March 7, 2006

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 7, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	43	-	43	=	0
Independent	3	-	3	=	0